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**TERMINAL DISCLAIMER TO SEVATE A DOUBLE  
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**B0932/7134**

**TO 3600 MAIL ROOM**

In re Application of: Jake B. Carpenter et al.  
Application No. 09/498,950  
Filed: February 4, 2000  
For: Adjustable Binding Strap for Securing a Snowboarding Boot to a Baseplate

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Disclaimer 10/19/01*

The owner\*, The Burton Corporation, of 100 percent interest in the instant application hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on the instant application, which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term defined in 35 U.S.C. §154 to §156 and §173, as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, of U. S. Patent No. 6,056,300. The owner hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the instant application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and the 6,056,300 patent are commonly owned. This agreement runs with any patent granted on the instant application and is binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

In making the above disclaimer, the owner does not disclaim the terminal part of any patent granted on the instant application that would extend to the expiration date of the full statutory term as defined in 35 U.S.C. §154 to §156 and §173 of the 6,056,300 patent, as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, in the event that it later expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. §1.321, has all claims canceled by a reexamination certificate, is reissued, or is in any manner terminated prior to the expiration of its full statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer.

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**TERMINAL DISCLAIMER TO OBVIATE A  
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OVER A PENDING SECOND APPLICATION**

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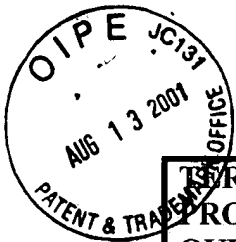
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